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Typical Jones County Farm May Give Courage To Other Citizens

President C. B. Holden and eighteen members of the Avoca 4-H Club with James M. Binion, Extension Agent of Texas A. & M. College, visited the Ben T. Ray farm on Route 3, Stamford, on the afternoon of Nov. 1st for the purpose of judging dairy cattle and for general observations. The visiting group found that Mr. Ray has a well diversified farm.

He farms 316 acres of land and plants only enough cotton to meet AAA quotas. The rest of the land is planted to feed crops and none of the feed has been sold from the farm in years. All of it is fed to live stock and poultry. At the present time Mr. Ray has 17 dairy cows, 40 beef cattle, 250 laying hens and enough hogs for the home supply. Last year he fed 100 head of cattle on his farm.

Mr. Ray said that livestock farming is interesting, maintains soil fertility, gives a better distribution of labor through the year, is more profitable and he much prefers it to cotton and grain farming. Mr. Ray knows that lean crop years will come and as a safeguard he puts his surplus feed in trench silos. He has four silos filled with feed, one of them 180 feet long, that he has accumulated during the past four years.

Terraces were constructed on the farm eight years ago and Mr. Ray pointed out one field where a ditch so deep that farming equipment could not cross it at that time, produced feed at the rate of two tons per acre this year.

Mr. Ray's farm is studded with modern farm buildings and equipment and he finds time for recreation exemplified by two registered five-gated saddle horses. As the group left Mr. Ray pointed out that "feed will not stack itself" and returned to the task. He meant that work is necessary on a profitable and successful farm.

Rev. James E. Harrell Is Re-appointed Pastor

On November 11th the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church met in Sweetwater and remained in session till Sunday afternoon, when appointments were announced.

Rev. James E. Harrell was again assigned the pastorate of the Hamlin church which information will be gladly received not only by his own membership but by a host of friends in all the local churches.

Rev. Harrell reports three outstanding recommendations presented at the Conference by Bishop Ivan Lee Holt. They are as follows:

1. That our total church life for the year center around two points of emphasis in an all-out effort on the part of all existing organizations, officials, and leaders, in our conference, districts and local churches.

a. Personal commitment of life to Christ, seeking to lead our present members to unreserved dedication and to increase our membership by 20 per cent, 10 per cent on profession of faith and 10 per cent otherwise.

b. Christian giving and a sound financial system in every church with a minimum goal of 40 per cent of our members pledged and to tithe for the duration and practicing tithing by February 1, 1943.

2. In order to make available for all of us the message, approach, and methods, used by those who have succeeded best, in the above types of endeavor, we nominate the following committee: R. N. Huckabee, chairman; Kenneth W. Copeland, secretary; D. D. Dennison, R. T. Breedlove, H. B. Hill, J. E. Swepston, Mrs. C. A. Bickley, P. E. Yarbrough and Clark Church.

3. At the district set-up meetings let each district cabinet take such steps as are necessary for the proper organization and prosecution of this campaign.

Bishop Holt said, "This matter is fundamental if we do these things, all other plans of our conference will be realized. We will be the church saving our own, and serving the world in agony. All agencies of our church will be turned to the realization of these objectives."

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Perry Sparks Becomes Postmaster of Hamlin

Saturday, like a flash of lightning out of a clear sky, Postmaster Harold Bonner received papers from Washington making him carrier on Route Two, Hamlin.

At the same time Perry Sparks received notice that beginning Monday morning he would be postmaster for Hamlin. So Sunday afternoon, Harold Bonner checked out as postmaster and checked in as rural route carrier and Monday morning Perry Sparks woke up as Hamlin's P. M.

There are some advantages in being rural mail carrier, and like everything else, there are some drawbacks. It is very much like two fellows trading horses . . . one has something the other does not have and so a trade is made. Bonner will get up later and get in from his deliveries earlier. He will have more time to help his wife grow a garden and mow the lawn. So who blames him?

The Herald will say for Mr. Sparks that he is a young fellow with many good traits and his personality will be one that can say "No" and smile at you so you like it. He has had plenty of business experience to enable him to render excellent service in the post office.

Just what innovations can be made to help Hamlin people enjoy good mail service will likely be determined by postal regulations and labor problems. One thing is appropriate here to say is that here's hoping some kind of arrangements can be made to keep Hamlin's post office open on Saturday afternoons. This is a rural town and rural people as well as "city folks" often need to transact business with the United States on Saturday as well as Monday afternoon. So now it is Postmaster Perry Sparks, and luck to you, Perry.

Life Sketch Of R. B. Hodges, Deceased

The Herald was unable last week to obtain any definite information on the life of R. B. Hodges, who was laid to rest at Blooming Grove, Texas.

R. B. Hodges was born at Blooming Grove on May 3, 1877. He passed away at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital, in Abilene, on Sunday, November 8th, at the age of 65 years, 6 months and 5 days.

R. B. Hodges was united in marriage to Miss Beulah Belle Smith, in 1900, and to this union there are four surviving children, Richard Hodges, Business Manager of the Brown School at Siloam Springs, Arkansas; Mrs. C. R. Williams of Abilene, and Misses Edythe and Ettie Hodges, teachers in the Neinda School. One child died at the age of two years.

Mrs. Hodges passed away on May 23, 1915. Besides the children of his immediate family, there is one surviving brother, J. V. Hodges of Hamlin, and two sisters, Mrs. Lula Watson of Morton, Texas, and Mrs. E. L. Gary of Petersburg, Texas. There are three grand children.

Mr. Hodges came to the Neinda community in 1920, and during the passing years he was known as one of Jones County's best citizens and successful farmers. He had been a member of the Methodist church since the age of 36.

Tom Teague's Father Died In Spur Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague returned Wednesday from Spur where they had been called by the serious illness and death of Mr. Teague's father, V. E. Teague, who had been ill since last Thursday. Funeral services were held in Spur Tuesday. V. E. Teague was 83 years of age and had been a resident of Spur since the beginning of the town.

Mrs. Curtis Martin suffered a serious accident at her home Tuesday just after noon when she slipped on a rug in the bathroom and fell, breaking both bones in her leg. She was carried to the Stamford hospital for treatment.

Thanksgiving-1942

The President and The Governor Proclaim It In Humble Prayer

Once more Our National Thanksgiving Day has rolled around—this year there is no controversy about which Day to be observed . . . this year it finds America in an attitude of humbleness and prayer . . . about us on all sides are evidences of unusual fruitfulness for which everyone should stop and silently give Thanks to Almighty God . . . the main thing that mars genuine happiness is the overhanging clouds of war . . . under which the young manhood of this land stands ready to offer their all for our safety and freedom . . . with these factors tramping heavily on the minds of our leaders, mothers and fathers, then it is nothing more than proper for one's mind to turn towards God to prayerful Thanksgiving.

The President's Proclamation—

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord." Across the uncertain ways of space and time our hearts echo those words, for the days are with us again when, at the gathering of the harvest, we solemnly express our dependence upon Almighty God.

The final months of this year, now almost spent, find our Republic and the nations joined with it waging a battle on many fronts for the preservation of liberty.

In giving thanks for the greatest harvest in the history of our nation, we who plant and reap can well resolve that in the year to come we will do all in our power to pass the milestone; for by our labors in the fields we can share some part of the sacrifice with our brothers and sons who wear the uniform of the United States.

It is fitting that we recall now the reverent words of George Washington:

"Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection," and that every American in his own way lift his voice to heaven.

I recommend that all of us bear in mind this great Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Inspired with faith and courage by these words, let us turn again to the work that comforts us in this time of national emergency; in the armed services and the merchant marine; in factories and offices; on farms and in the mines; on highways, railways, and airways; in other places of public service to the nation, and in our homes.

Now, therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, do hereby invite the attention of the people to the joint resolution of Congress approved December 26, 1941, which designates the fourth Thursday in November of each year as Thanksgiving Day; and I request that both Thanksgiving Day, November 26, 1942, and New Year's Day, January 1, 1943, be observed in prayer, publicly and privately.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

(Signed)

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Our Governor's Prayer—

We are thankful, O Lord, for a land of civil and religious liberty in which Christian civilization has made the greatest advancement the world has ever known.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the glorious achievements of our Revolutionary fathers in throwing off the yoke of arbitrary rule and bequeathing unto us a government of laws enacted by the people.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the men and women whom you have given us in this fair land of Texas; those of sound minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands; those whom the lust of office does not kill; those whom the spoils of office will not buy; those who possess opinions and a will; those who have honor, those who will not lie; sun-crowned, who live above the fog in public duty and in private thinking.

We are thankful, O Lord, that citizens of such character will remember "that the perpetuity and prosperity of a republic form of government depend upon the virtue and intelligence of the people."

We are thankful, O Lord, for the opportunities which have been afforded us by this government and under Your protecting care; and especially for the employment of individual enterprise in collective achievement.

COKE R. STEVENSON

New College President



Abilene, Texas—Election of the Rev. Harold G. Cooke of San Angelo as president of McMurry College was announced Wednesday following a special meeting of the college trustees at Sweetwater.

Cooke will fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Frank L. Turner, now of Fort Worth, in the late summer to return to the pulpit as an evangelist.

Oh Rats! Let's Kill 'Em In Hamlin

The Chamber of Commerce in co-operation with the City of Hamlin, have engaged the services of a Federal Wild Life representative to work the business district and warehouses in a rat killing campaign. Because of the highly dangerous poison used in this operation, the residence section of Hamlin will not be included in the territory worked, and since the business and warehouse sections are really the breeding places of rats, the campaign will be effective with the territory designated to be worked.

The campaign will begin the 23rd of November and run through the 28th and the co-operation of all business concerns is earnestly solicited.

Due to the several cases of typhus fever here, Hamlin was selected as the starting point for the county, which will also include Stamford and Anson business districts. County committees will get this service too after the city campaigns are finished.

On Deer "Maneuvers" Down In Hill Country

This week a number of Hamlin men went on "maneuvers" in the Hill Country, noted for deer. Some of these guys have had their call to check "physical" and maybe this deer hunting will help them pass.

In the crowd were W. C. Russell, L. H. McBride, Jack Harden and E. J. Whaley. Ted had already received his call for "physical" and this advanced training will help him to harden up a bit.

T. S. Peterson and family left on Tuesday to make their home at Ropesville where he will engage in farming.

A BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bond are parents of a son, David Douglas, born Friday at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. Bond and little son will return home the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Bob Low and sons, Bob Jack and Larry, of Monahans, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Low and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Andrus.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carlton returned Tuesday of last week from Fort Worth where they visited their daughter, Mrs. F. L. Reynolds and family. While in Fort Worth Mr. Carlton went on to Dallas on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson and baby Donna Joyce came up from Orange on Thursday of last week for a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Christopher. J. W. has been in the Orange Ship Yard building destroyers to whip Hitler with. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, who visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brown. Clyde is a welder too.

Mrs. M. E. Harden

Died Mon. Morning

Mrs. M. E. Harden, mother of Hamlin's pioneer citizens, T. E. Harden, and Mrs. Jim Hudson, passed away at the Stamford Hospital at 12:15 Monday morning.

Mrs. Harden had come to Hamlin from the home of her daughter near Breckenridge, to visit Mrs. Hudson and Mr. Harden, and while here took ill. She was taken to the Stamford Hospital for treatment, and her condition grew serious and death came just after midnight.

Mrs. Harden was a native of Sugar Valley, Gordon County, Georgia. Her maiden name was Mary Etta Gober, born on November 9, 1858, and was 84 years and seven days of age. Her husband preceded her in death on August 25 1925, at Water Valley, Texas. She is survived by eight sons and five daughters, and of this large family of children every one of them was present for the funeral except one daughter who resides in California. The sons are: T. E. Harden of Hamlin; G. P., Amarillo; J. P., Milrose, N. M.; Herbert, Overton; Luther B., San Angelo and Lucia D. of Bishop, Texas (twins); M. A. Harden of Water Valley and Chester H. of Summerville, Texas.

The daughters are Mrs. Clara Gentry and Mrs. Ora Lauderdale (who live south of Breckenridge, with whom Mrs. Harden spent most of her time after her husband's death) Mrs. Electra Scrivener, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Sallie Hornbeck of Yreka, Calif., and Mrs. Jim Hudson of Hamlin. All were able to attend the funeral except Mrs. Hornbeck.

There are 27 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church, Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell. Bountiful flowers were in evidence from loved ones and friends.

One of the rarest things to be observed at this funeral was that the pallbearers were the eight sons.

Mrs. Harden was a long time member of the Methodist church and as her years advanced she laid plans for her going. One request was that she be laid to rest in the Hamlin Cemetery. The Barrow Company had charge of interment.

Pied Pipers Defeat Lions At Albany

Last Friday night the Pipers went to Albany for a conference game.

Recovering from the mauling at the hands of the Seymour bunch, the Pipers dished out a 19 to 0 defeat to the Albany Lions.

Tonight (Friday) the Pipers will play host to the Tigers from Anson. This will be the last game of the season for Hamlin High school.

NAZARENE CHURCH

The revival is getting off to a good start. Our workers have been received wholeheartedly by the entire community. The high quality of music rendered by Mrs. Cope is especially appreciated by all. Then the type of preaching done by Rev. J. A. Cope is being accepted and appreciated by the church and friends. We urge the entire community to co-operate with us as wholeheartedly as possible for a revival of "Old Time Religion."

Our Sunday School opens at 9:45. Worship hour at 11 A. M.

N. Y. P. S. hour at 7:30. Evangelistic Service at 8:00 P. M. Come worship with us.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

Mrs. O. L. Taulman and son Otis of Monahans, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Green.

Mrs. J. A. Wilhite and little daughter Kay of Harlingen are here for a ten days visit with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee.

Mrs. R. M. Jones returned from San Diego, Calif., last week from a ten days visit with her two sons, Doyle and Rex Jones, who work at Consolidated Aircraft Corp. She reports a very nice trip and likes California, except she says the train service isn't so good between here and there!

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It Is Too Bad—

It is just too bad that our Congress can't find something more important to "chaw the rag" about than the poll tax subject. It appears that every possible controversial thing they can think of is brought up while the more essential matters are left off or bungled.

The idea of abolishing the poll, a tax prerequisite to voting, is unthinkable by most southern citizens. There is no point here in setting out facts to uphold the poll tax. It is something we southern people think necessary and now it is silly blab in this war time, to quarrel over it in congress. We do not blame the southern senators for doing everything possible to stop its passage. They are justifiable, and it was not their choice that this subject was brought up. However, it must be borne in mind that occasionally a politician gets into the senate from Texas or Florida or some state down here and nothing better is expected from him than to want to open the gates of the ballot to every kinky-headed, ignorant—to play like he is for "poor down-trodden".

A primary election and a regular election are two different items. There has never been anything to prevent a person from voting in the South in a federal election when he had a poll tax. Pay buddy and vote. Don't pay and don't vote.

A primary election is a private matter. If one does not want to be in such and such a "private organization" it is his business and if he is not in the "party" then do not expect to participate in its affairs. For example a bunch of folks could set up a "Bald-Head Primary" and all who do not have a bald head, can't belong and can't vote. You just could not "sit down to their table". Negroes could have their own primary and no white man would be allowed to participate. It is all very simple, but not of much value to win this war.

To win the war we are in, so much depends upon Congress, and when congress spends so much time quibbling over some silly little item, just to show up some individual, we may expect the people to be displeased.

Predicting—

We predict that Congress will repeal or suspend the 40 hour a week labor law—at least for the duration. It should be a clean cut repeal. Forty-eight hours for a man to work each week allows 8 hours per day for play—and who should "play"? and then who needs more than 8 hours per night in bed? That gets the 24 hours per day—you're telling us.

Another prediction is that some good day, somebody is going to investigate just why this war work stuff has cost so all-fired much.

The other day a Hamlin fellow told the Herald he was getting \$400 per month as a ship welder. His job is a vital one, but it seems \$400 for that man is too much when a brother is made to serve in the army at \$50.00, plus a chance to get his head blown off. It is too late now to manage man power. It could have been done a year ago.

The Pinch o' war

THE PINCH OF WAR—Hand Set

This week end sets the stage in the United States for the people to feel the "Pinch of War."

The first real pinch comes in our transportation system.

In 1914-18 America was chiefly powered by horses and mules, dragging things mostly through mud or over rough roads on iron wheels.

The power today, 1942, is gasoline. The roads are dry and smooth. The wheels are on rubber—but not for long.

With millions of barrels of gasoline in storage and producing in Texas—today Texas people—and in all states, people are signing up for about 4 gallons of gas per week, per car, and it is going to be pretty hard to get more than that much.

This all means, almost transportation stagnation. It is going to pinch and pinch to hurt. Leather will be used till shoes are rationed.

The pinch that makes most Americans furious is "confusion". . . . It is not needed privations that the people mind. It is hearing one thing one day and reading something different the next.

It is inconceivable that gasoline will be denied for useages not in automobiles. The rationing certainly is to stretch out the rubber life of tires. The only problem, it seems would be whether one who needs gasoline for something else, might turn it into an auto tank. There are hundreds of needs for gasoline other than cars, and here's guessing there is going to be a lot of good excuses grumbling about gas. Four or five gallons will soon burn up in essential everyday needs. Somebody is going to start walking and observe some other guy whizzing by burning gas that he thinks should be allowed to him and not so much to the other fellow. So the pinch will pinch.

There will be very few Americans who will object to any kind of pinching because of war if they have some assurances that what they must sacrifice is essential or is being used by the boys at the front. The main point is to be patient and follow and keep on doing in the most patriotic manner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robbins returned Wednesday from a visit with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Johnson at Dayton, Texas. They report that Mr. Johnson has been seriously ill from an operation on Thursday of last week. The Johnsons formerly resided in Hamlin for a number of years, and their many friends here will be glad to know Mr. Johnson is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. J. C. Culbertson has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Fraser and husband in Brownsville. Mrs. Fraser accompanied her home.

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Lights of New York

by L. L. STEVENSON

Hats Off: The pulling of the master switch of the Hotel Paris during a recent night air raid plunged the exposed portion of the building into total darkness. The lobby soon became thronged with guests who poured in from the adjacent bar. Despite lack of knowledge as to the cause of the blackout, the mood of the crowd was gay—carefree Americans ready to take anything in their stride. The door leading to the stairway opened and an old man, clad in pajamas and with a blanket draped about him, walked into the lobby. The crowd giggled as he went up to John Garrison, the manager, and handed him three letters, saying loudly enough for all to hear: "I walked down 12 flights. Didn't know if I'd ever get to mail them. Please drop them into the box outside for me. You see, they are for my three sons in the marines."

Peril: Gwen Dew, Detroit newspaper woman, as perhaps you have read, was held prisoner more than six months by the Japs in Hong Kong. She went through the siege of Hong Kong, some of the fighting actually taking place in her hotel room. She's heard machine gun bullets snap past her head and pieces of shrapnel have fallen all around her. Yet she escaped unharmed, except by the food furnished by the Nipponese. Well, the other afternoon she was walking along Madison avenue when she heard a crash. Her Hong Kong training caused her automatically to duck into a convenient doorway and crouch there. Possibly her subconscious shelter seeking saved her life. A plate glass window on the second floor had been broken and heavy fragments rained down over and around her. Though her coat and dress were cut in several places, she was unharmed.

Exchange: At the Open House for Officers at the Hotel Delmonico, a submarine commander started to dance with an attractive hostess only to find himself halted by his rubber-soled shoes. He disappeared and in no time at all, appeared suitably equipped. It seems that he had found a young ensign outside and issued an order that resulted in a shoe swap. Through the evening, the commander and the ensign alternated in dancing, a shoe shift occurring each time. In accordance with regulations, the dance ended at 1 a. m. The sub commander, enjoying his one night of liberty after four nights on duty, didn't want to call it an evening so the hostess took him to LaRue. There they did more dancing—the commander in the ensign's shoes. Five evenings later, the hostess again met the commander. And he was still wearing the ensign's shoes.

War: Speaking of shoes I am wondering what those New York kids who in the past spent pleasant fall hours playing hockey on the sidewalks, are doing now for pucks. Formerly, finding a puck was a simple matter—a kid merely went to a shoe repairing establishment where he was known and obtained an old rubber heel. But with rubber what it is today, worn rubber heels don't go into games but into the nation's wartime scrap pile. Maybe lads who like sidewalk hockey have given up the game for the duration. At any rate, I haven't seen any games yet and that's why I don't know whether or not some bright youngster has evolved a synthetic puck.

Long Lists: Each year, under the law, New York banks must advertise accounts that have been inactive for a certain term of years. This year as usual the New York city lists were long, a great many persons having deposited money in years past and apparently forgotten all about it. So far as I am concerned, those lists are a mighty waste of valuable time. I know all too well that no relative of mine ever deposited a dime in a New York bank and then forgot about it. But I read all the names just the same—and feel a little disappointed when I fail to find one that is familiar.

ROUND TOP NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen entertained in their home last Wednesday evening, friends and relatives, honoring Roy Cooper, who left Friday for induction into the army. A buffet supper was served to the following: Miss Louise Berry of McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, Red Bluff; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith and Jackie Reed, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gooper, Roy and Paul Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Shelley, Raye and Joan Shelley; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carlton, John Wallace and Milbra Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Scott and Terry Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates and Letrice Belle, Irvin Fawcett, Helen Smith of Rotan, Claudie Allen of Colorado, Don J. and Annetta Allen. Several games were played, and the evening was enjoyed by all who attended.

Mrs. Dave Scott attended a birthday dinner honoring Helen Parker at Hamlin Sunday.

Roy Cooper is in the station hospital at Camp Barkeley receiving treatment for stomach ulcers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jean are the happy parents of a new daughter, Nina Jo, born at the Callan Hospital last week.

Pvt. Glenn Gabel spent Sunday with his wife and parents. Pvt. Gabel is stationed at Lubbock.

The following enjoyed a buffet luncheon and the entire day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, of Red Bluff, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, Don Jr. and Annetta; Mr. and Mrs. John Shelley, and Raye Shelley; Helen Smith, Claudie Allen, Jackie Reed, Nelson Bates, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates and Letrice; Mrs. Bill Cooper and Christine; Bill Saunders, Waymon Holmes, Clyde Horn and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

This community welcomes the new pastor and family from Abilene, Rev. and Mrs. Campbell. We were sorry to lose Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford but perhaps the Campbell family can make up for the loss.

Pvt. Elmer T. Cooper, who has been stationed at Camp Stoneman, Calif., has recently been transferred to Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas.

Pvt. James B. Shelley, who was also stationed in Calif., has been transferred to Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Barto Jameson, Eetel and Clifford Jameson, and Annie Laura Bowdry spent a part of last week with Pvt. Welton Jameson, who is stationed at Mission, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cooper and Miss Juanita Mannz, of Memphis, Tennessee, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cooper last week end.

Writes New Book



As funny as Irvin Cobb's "Speaking of Operations" or Ellis Parker Butler's "Pigs Is Figs"—that's what reviewers are saying about Boyce House's new book, "How I Took Hollywood by Storm," a Southwest-ern best seller which is based on his observations while helping make the big moving picture, "Boon Town."

House, of Fort Worth, is known to hundreds of thousands through his Sunday radio programs and his column "I Give You Texas." "How I Took Hollywood by Storm" is pocket size, sturdily bound, sells for half a dollar, illustrated, and is just the thing for a Christmas gift for young or old and it would give a lot of chuckles to a Texas soldier off in camp somewhere, too.

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Lieutenant Robert H. Johnson, M. D., came up from the maneuver fields in Louisiana the past week end for a short stay at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Johnson. Dr. Johnson returns to the Ft. Sam Houston post till further orders.

— S & S —

Pvt. Theo (Colonel) Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans, came in on a 15 days furlough from Camp Cook, Calif. recently. He is in the 22nd Engineers. He has a brother, S. E. (Cowboy) Evans, a Sgt. in the 307th Fighter Group in England.

About Soldiers--Sailors

(NOTE)—On various occasions home folks try to tell what their soldier boy said here and there over the world, and expect the Herald to carry the story. This makes it hard on the paper. Telling something second or third "hatch" may not be interesting. If permissible, give the editor a peep at the soldier's letter. We keep all secrets.

— S & S —

So many of the Hamlin community boys have joined the ground forces of the Air Corps at Lubbock, and get to come home so easily that it is hard for the Herald to keep up with them . . . whether they are coming or going. So if we skip some of them this is the reason why.

— S & S —

Athens, Ga.—Naval Aviation Cadet Billy Monroe McGough, Hamlin, Texas, has completed his course at the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School and has been ordered to the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Dallas, for primary flight training.

McGough, who stood in the top 20 per cent of his large class, is the son of C. B. McGough. He is a former student of Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Since entering the Navy Pre-Flight School here three months ago, McGough has had ground school work in military and academic subjects, and has undergone a rigorous physical conditioning program which is designed to make Uncle Sam's Naval aviators the fittest and best trained in the world.

At his new base he will have more ground school instruction and begin flying. From there he will move on to three months of intermediate and advanced flying, and, if successful, will be graduated from the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Florida, or Corpus Christi, Texas, and win his commission and Navy wings.

After graduation comes Operational Training, with carrier-based planes or multi-engined bombers, the final lap of a 12-months training period. Completing this, McGough will be a full-fledged fighter Pilot—ready to join the fleet.—From U. S. Navy Pre-flight School.

(Billy came home last Friday for a short visit with his parents. He reports a lot of hard tough training so far.

— S & S —

Miss Anna Sue Lasseter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasseter, is another Hamlin girl in the WAAC organization. Miss Lasseter is now at 2nd Rec. Co., Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. She has been in since the middle of October, and likes it fine so far. This makes two from this family in the service. Norman Lasseter is in the Radio Air Service—the last time heard from, he was at Eagle Pass, Texas.

— S & S —

Cadet J. L. Miles has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miles of Hamlin this week. J. L. is in Sheppard Field and has had about 200 hours of flying. He will soon be ready to let the Huns have it and here's betting another hole in a doughnut that he's got the stuff, what it takes.

— S & S —

Ensign Richard Feagan and his wife arrived in Hamlin from his training in Diesel School at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., last Saturday. Richard is assigned to the Third Naval Area with New York as base headquarters, and will take up his duties after returning this week end.

— S & S —

Staff Sergeant Harry Gardner Jr. of Co. B, 159th Inf., San Luis Obispo, Calif., arrived by plane last Friday accompanied by his brother, Robert, who is in the Consolidated Aircraft. Harry has been in 20 months. The last three months he spent in the "desert", almost like Africa. He leaves Sunday.

— S & S —

Here's another girl from this community to go into the WAAC organization—Miss Hester Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fields near Neinda. Miss Hester has been a beautician for several years but last week she took the oath for the WAAC's and left this Thursday for San Antonio where she joins others for Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.

— S & S —

Lieutenant Warren Nobles, who has been instructor in Kelley Field at San Antonio, since his graduation, has been transferred to the Majors Army Air Field at Greenville, Texas as an instructor. He is a fine young fellow and he took his choice of several fields in his transfer. Warren is down there flying over the fields and roads where his grandfather, the late W. D. Eakin formerly lived . . . and that's not all, it is near the old home of Ye Editor, too.

Mrs. Ella Armstrong has four sons in the armed forces. Edward and James, who were in the cavalry Division at Fort Bliss, Texas, have been transferred to the Tank Division at Camp Hood, Texas. John and Jake are in the army flying school at Lubbock. These four sons of Mrs. Armstrong's volunteered.

Fynus, another son of Mrs. Armstrong, is employed in the mechanical division of the army flying school at Stamford. Fynus has been deferred from the army to do this defense work.

— S & S —

Lt. and Mrs. Robert W. Lewis Jr. came to the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maberry near McCaulley Tuesday from Ft. Belvoir, Va., where Mr. Lewis received his commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the Engineer Corps on Nov. 11th. He will report Monday to Camp Clayburne, La. Mrs. Lewis was Fern Maberry before her marriage.

— S & S —

Sailorboy Carl Address, Aviation Radioman, 2-C, came in Tuesday from the Naval Air Station at Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, to spend a mere three or four days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Address. This was the first time Carl has had a chance to come home in 2 years and 7 months. He has been places since he left Hamlin. About one year ago he was stationed in New Foundland and then was sent to Norfolk, Va., to study in the Bomber school, and one month after Pearl Harbor he was sent to Hawaii. He's been going places in the Pacific and he puts his finger tips to his lips and makes a sound like hissing steam when one asks him about certain bombing raids. Well, he's going back and likes the Navy so well he says when he retires it will likely be after the 20 years hitch.

— S & S —

Staff Sgt. G. W. Hayes "bombed" Hamlin last Friday morning about 10:30 when he came over with his squadron on their way from Salinas, Kansas to El Paso and Albuquerque. It was a practice bombing flight and when he arrived over his home town he turned and dived several times. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayes, did not know who the "flying guy" was till he wrote them later. G. W. is gunner or a radio man. He lost his brother, J. D., in the Bataan battle, killed or captured. Another brother, Bert is in the army, stationed at El Paso.

— S & S —

James Owen, one if Hamlin's first soldier boys, has been spending this week with relatives and old friends in Hamlin. James is in the 36th Division at Camp Edwards, Mass. James was born and educated in Hamlin but his parents now reside in or near Albuquerque, N. M.

— S & S —

Elvis Wallace, Sailorboy, Electrician Mate 3-C, arrived on Nov. 12 from Yorktown, Va., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wallace at Plesterco. He has been transferred from fleet service to Mine Warfare School at Yorktown. Elvis has been in one year and ten months. He has seen plenty of excitement at Midway and in the Alaskan waters.

— S & S —

Glider Pilot, Sgt. Lawrence King is at home from the Glider Replacement Center at Albuquerque, N. M., for about ten days. King will likely get a commission in the glider service in a few weeks. This will be when he has handled a 15 placer.

— S & S —

Otto Berlin was here the past week end visiting old friends and saying good-bye before going into the army. Otto was inducted on Nov. 11 and was here on a ten days furlough. He calls Hamlin home for he still has a room at the Tate May residence and most of his clothes are there.

— S & S —

A telegram has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Tate May from their son James Tate at Baylor University, that he had been sworn in the Army Enlisted Reserve. This may mean he will be called at the end of the school term or at any time before. James Tate was 19 years old on July 9th.

— S & S —

Claude Allen returned Tuesday to Camp Carson, Colorado, after a week of furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen. He is in the Pack Artillery of the 98th F. A. Claude enjoys hearing from the other fellows through the Herald. He says he will go anywhere his mule is sent, and the mule can go most anywhere. And he is anxious to get going.

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Hamlin Nat'l. Honor Society Meets

The National Honor Society, Hamlin Chapter, met in the home of Charlotte Lewis for the 2nd meeting of the year Nov. 6th. Phala Davis, president, presided. Plans for new members and their initiation were the main topics of consideration, though Christmas festivities were discussed.

The club voted to ask Mrs. C. E. Ball to give before the student body, "The Murder of Lidice", a recent narrative poem by Edna St. Vincent Malay.

After the business meeting a plate consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, cakes and tea were served by the hostess and her mother.

BAPTIST CHURCH

"Practical Truths Related to The Second Coming." This is the subject for discussion Sunday morning. It will not be a barrage of speculative ideas, but a scriptural message on the way of life that should result from belief in the coming of our Lord at the end of this age. We urge you to be present. Remember, Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. and morning worship at 11:00.

H. E. East, Pastor
Charles Tarrance, Associate

Card of Thanks

We are truly grateful for the many remembrances and sympathies shown during the illness and at the time of the going of our dear father. Every token of love for our loved one shall always be remembered by us.

His Children:
Richard Hodges
Edythe Hodges
Ettie Hodges
Mrs. C. R. Williams

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jenkins are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Louise to Pfc. Henry Wilgus. The ceremony took place Saturday, Nov. 14, 1942, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. McBride at Anson with the Rev. McBride reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Wilgus is a graduate of the Hamlin High school in the class of 1940.

Pfc. Wilgus' home is Greenland, Colorado. He is stationed at Camp Barkeley at the present time.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Jenkins.

The bride will make her home with her parents until further plans.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.
Bible Study at 7:00 P. M.
Worship Hour at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study at 8:00 P. M.
Your presence is requested.
Friends, why don't you realize that you need the Church and the Church needs you?

Thankful

The neighbors and friends of our father, Guy Poe and our grandmother, Mrs. D. M. Poe, have been so kind to them during their illness, we desire to express our deepest appreciation for everything done for them. They seem to be about well and they join us in thanks to our friends and neighbors.

MRS. AND MRS. NOEL WEAVER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shipp and daughter visited relatives in Jones County last week end. The Shipp's now live at Lubbock.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 P. M.
Evening Service, 7:30.

The W. S. C. S. is to be postponed Monday afternoon for the District Harvest Day Meeting in Abilene.

Church Fellowship and Thanksgiving Program next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Bring a dish and enjoy the fellowship with Thanksgiving.

Sunday morning the sermon message will deal with "Life's Choices". Appropriate special music is to be arranged.

At the evening service Mrs. Ball will give some points from the little booklet "I Confess My Faith", by Mei-ling Soong Chaing (Mme. Chang Kai-Shek); and much and interesting emphasis will be placed on "Missions".

Sunday is "Missionary Sunday". A missionary program will be presented at 10:45 A. M. The church must fail not the cry of distress in the dark hours, and by the Grace of God she shall not.

The pastor is happy to be back for the 3rd year of service and trusts that it shall be the best of the three. Come to church Sunday and see what a difference it will make throughout the year.

We welcome visitors.

Card of Thanks

We are deeply grateful for the many kind acts and expressions of sympathy shown our dear father by the people of Plasterco, in our sorrowful hours. To every one, everywhere who so lovingly remembered us, we feel sincerely grateful. May God bless each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott

And Family

Mr. and Mrs. Ervy Dominey

And Family

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dominey

And Family

(H. Dominey, the father of the above members died at Sagerton, and was buried last Saturday near that place.)

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...Today's sensible top speed of 35 is a cinch for your engine, compared to unlubricated cold starting—way down at 00 miles an hour!

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Make A "Kit-Bag" Maybe For Your Own Big Boy

A soldier's kit-bag prepared by the Jones County Red Cross Chapter reached 4,000 miles into the North Pacific to gladden the heart of a bomb squadron staff sergeant whose home is in Munday, Texas, forty miles from the kit's point of origin, and he wanted his mother to know of the incident.

His letter of appreciation, passed by the censor, and mailed by clipper, is Jones County's best plea for pledges and donations to support its project of fifty kit-bags monthly, and follows:

"It would be hard for me to explain the surprise and pleasure I felt when I received the Red Cross packet prepared by your chapter. You see, my home is in Munday, Texas. For me to be a way over here in Hawaii and receive this very useful gift from people whom I have probably met sometime during my lifetime should be good evidence of the great work of our American Red Cross.

"I have many very good friends in Jones county and in the city of Stamford. It seems that the gift brought me closer to home than I have been since the beginning of

the war.

"I am the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Henderson of Munday, Texas. Probably some of your members know them. How could America lose this war with such shown evidence of your work and that of many other war relief organizations?

"I think my mother would appreciate hearing of this little incident. If anyone would write her and tell her about it, it would be a great favor to me. Thanks again—I'll always remember. Sincerely, Jim."

Mrs. L. M. York, Stamford, production chairman, is writing Mrs. Ruth Henderson of Munday. The kit is thought to be one in the shipment of August 21 to St. Louis headquarters.

One hundred bags are to be sent from Stamford this week, and a second 100 before Christmas. The chapter quota is fifty bags monthly, made in the sewing room and filled with stated items purchased by individual or organization contributions of one dollar. Names of donors and greetings from Jones counson is the most recent contributor with an eight dollar donation.

(Don't you wish every boy who gets a kit'bag would let the giver know about it?)

Place your orders for Sales Books at the Herald Office.

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop from your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

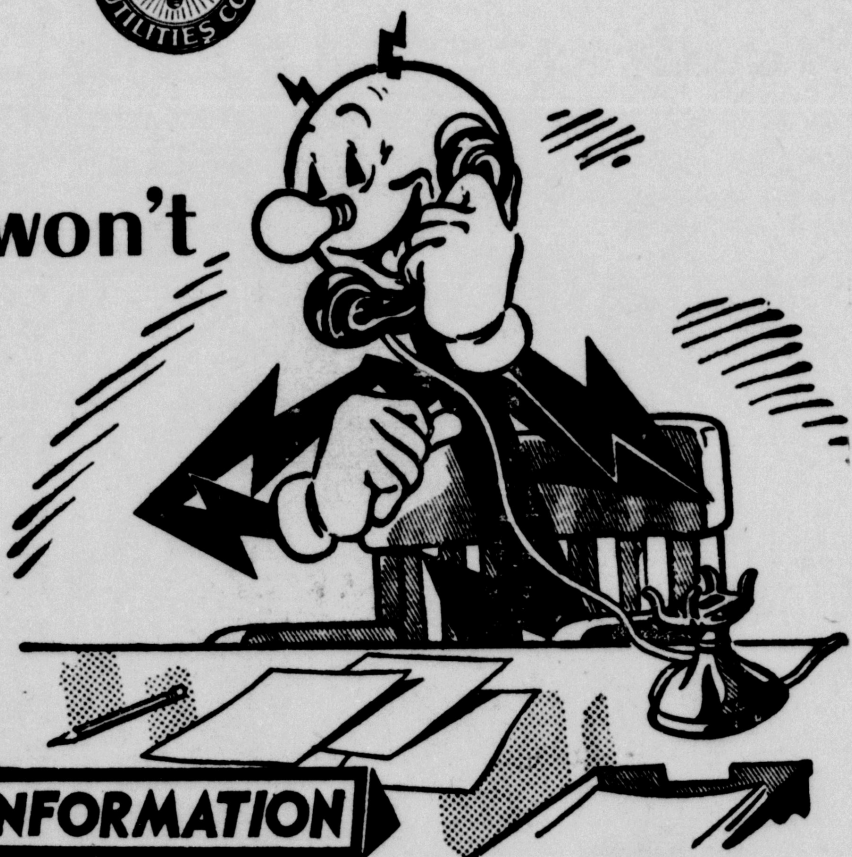
Joe A. Simpson and daughters, Faith and Carol Jo spent Sunday in Georgetown visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lott Shell, Sr.

Mrs. T. H. Price has gone to Dallas where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Forrest Holliday.

Miss Carrie Johnson who is teaching in Wichita Falls, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson.

Christmas Cards at the Herald Office—5 cents to 20 cents each.

"Lady, we won't let you go back to this!"



You: No? Well, I understand that the factories which used to make washing machines now have turned to war work—

Reddy: True!

You: ...and so what are we going to do when our present machine wears out?

Reddy: That's just the point! We're going to help keep 'em in good working condition—

You: But new parts are hard to get, too!

Reddy: Yes. That makes it doubly important that we take good care of the things we have.

You: But suppose my machine breaks down?

Reddy: Well, Lady, the point is, make repairs before it breaks down! Check up on your washing machine—and all other appliances—now before some essential part gives way. Call your electric fix-it man. Let him go over your appliances carefully. Then he should make repairs that will prevent breakdowns.

You: Thank you, Reddy. But suppose I can't find a repair man—many of them are in the Army, you know.

Reddy: In that case call the West Texas Utilities. Our service department has arranged to help out in emergencies!



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The starting backfield of the unbeaten and untied Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys, from Abilene, boasts three sophomores and a freshman fullback, powerful Camp Wilson, right, of El Paso. The sophomores, left to right, Alvin Johnson, Hamlin, quarterback of the H-SU T formations; J. C. (Bullet) Cook, Baird, right halfback, and Rudolph (Little Doc) Mobley, Paducah mite who leads the nation's ground gainers. This quartet will start against the Texas Tech Red Raiders in the annual Cowboy-Tech game at Lubbock Saturday, with the Border Conference title at stake.

POT SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pickron and Mrs. C. P. Yates attended the Methodist conference at Sweetwater over the week end.

Maedean Maberry of Borger, Texas, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Maberry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry and children visited over the week end with relatives in Hermleigh.

Mrs. A. A. Callaway has accepted a job as teacher in the Escoto school and was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodnett of Neinda visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miers last Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson who has made her home with her son, Roland in Tucumcari, N. M., for the past two months, has returned to her home in McCaulley.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Rotan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rector last Sunday.

La Verne Maberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Maberry, who is employed in Abilene, was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hennington and children of Hobbs, spent the week end in the home of Albert and Miss Ruby Hennington.

Cotton picking in this vicinity has slowed down to a snail's pace and the two McCaulley gins will begin setting days next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens and children spent the week end in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. Ed Mason has returned from a trip to Dallas and other East Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Parker have returned from Dallas where they spent ten days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boyd and son Holman spent the week end in Mineral Wells with their son Joe who is stationed at Camp Wolters. Miss Velma Lou, a daughter, also met them there. She is in school at John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

O-O-O

From the newspaper report about eight Senators who failed to stay on the job in Washington, have made headlines by warrants being issued for their arrest. It might be a wise thing if these distinguished gentlemen were arrested every day if and when such arrests would do any good and would keep them on the job. Perhaps the general election which sent so many Republicans to fill the seats of so many Democrats was caused by the people being so stirred up over the way some of our representatives have conducted themselves in office.

"Winning the war" should be the slogan of all members of both the houses, but it seems as if politics is

in the hearts of some members of Congress to such an extent that this slogan of Win the War First is only a side issue.

Our junior senator, "Pappy" is all hot and bothered about the 18 and 19 year old boys staying in the training camps for a year before seeing combat duty. He also wants to do away with the poll tax, which would give every nigger, wap and bum the right to vote in Texas. This remark about poll tax: Any person who does not have enough interest in our government to pay a measly \$1.75 for a poll tax receipt, in our opinion, should not be permitted to vote. When we do away with the poll tax in Texas, then we might as well get ready to send to Washington the men who can tell the biggest yarn or put on the biggest show for that's the kind that will get the vote in case the polls are thrown open to everybody and their dogs.

We are aware of the fact that many states in the Union do not require a poll tax, and too, we are aware of the fact that many states have sent isolationists to Washington who have hampered the war effort to such an extent that many a boy has given his life already, all because some of those representatives blocked every move and every bill to fortify the Pacific outposts and we need people for voters who are interested enough in their government to pay the poll tax, and when you look about you you will likely find that the folks who holler about the poll tax never contributed much to the community in which they live.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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A child's laxative
your child should
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When your child needs a laxative give him one he will probably enjoy taking—pleasant tasting Syrup of Black-Draught. Given as directed, it is usually mild in action, yet effective.

Follow Label Directions

O-O-O

Spearl Ellison of Albuquerque, N. M., was here the past week end to visit his mother, Mrs. J. W. Ellison. He is manager of the Hilton Hotel in that city.

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Bed room Suites.
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Sweetwater, Texas (2-2t)

FOR SALE

Farmers Co-op. stock certificates for sale or will trade for livestock. If interested write or see

CLAUDE JENKINS

Anson, Texas, Route 3 (2-2P)

WANT TO BUY AND RENT

Would like to buy farm equipment and some cows, etc., but must get tractor. Will rent farm also. See or address

C. O. MITCHELL

Anson, Texas. (3P)

WORK HORSES

Have a pair of young work horses, weights about 1100 and 1250 lbs for sale. Both for \$150.00. Worth \$200.00. See or address

O. T. HENNINGTON (3P)

FOR SALE

Three milch cows with young calves.

B. B. COLWELL (3P)

FOR SALE

1939 Mercury sedan, practically new tires. Motor just been reconditioned. Radio and heater. Runs like new.

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Have a 1936 V-8 truck and a '35 Dodge Pick-up to trade for stock or "what have you". See them at my store near Swedenia.

G. D. ANDES (3P)

NEINDA NEWS

Miss Hester Fields who has been working in a beauty shop in San Angelo, the past four years, was at home last week on her way to Des Moines, Iowa, to enter the WAAC.

Mrs. Willie Renfro of Tulsa, Oklahoma, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hodges.

Mrs. Hilon Fields spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock visiting her husband.

Maxine Poe, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McLendon and son Larry, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Address of Carpenters Gap.

Those taking dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregory were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Galloday of Merkel an aunt and uncle; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benneningfield, sister of Mr. Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory.

Jeff Thomas Jones left Monday, Nov. 16 for the army. He will go to Fort Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard and daughters Billie, Bettie and Joy, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown at Anson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Wilemon and daughter Donna of Fort Worth were here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Castleberry will celebrate their 32nd Wedding Anniversary Friday, Nov. 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scarborough of Dallas visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Plasterco ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregory Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arice Jones of Austin were here Sunday visiting Mrs. M. S. Jones.

Mrs. Park Wheat of Dallas visited relatives over the week end.

Those taking dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough, were Mr. and Mrs. Melville Jarnagan and children of Roby and Mr.



Steaks Sirloin Beef or Veal Lb. **37¢**
Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. **35¢**
Oysters Fresh Extra Fancy Lb. **49¢**

GROUND BEEF
Fresh Lean
Lb. **25¢**

Pork Liver Sliced or Piece Lb. **25¢**
Wieners Iowa First Grade Lb. **35¢**
Liver Loaf Fresh Sliced Lb. **33¢**
Baked Loaves Ass'd. Kinds Lb. **29¢**

CHICKEN HENS
Dressed & Drawn
lb **35c**

Salami or Carvolor Sausage Lb. **29¢**
Sausage Smoked Lb. **27¢**
Perch Fillets Lb. **32¢**
Fall Salmon Lb. **33¢**

Grocery Values

Juice Town House Grapefruit No. 2 Can **10¢**
Juice Sunny Dawa Tomato 23-oz. Can **12¢**
Cherries Pitted Red Sour 2 No. 2 Cans **35¢**
Baby Food Heinz Strained Reg. Can **7¢**
Cherub Milk 3 Tall Cans **27¢**
Spinach Emerald Boy No. 2 Can **16¢**
Pickles Exquisite Sweet 12-oz. Jar **22¢**
Pi-do For Fickler Pie Crust 8-oz. Pkg. **10¢**
Margarine Sunny Bank Lb. **17¢**
Crackers 1 lb box **15¢**
Peas 2 No. 2 cans **27¢**

MINCE MEAT 28 oz glass **35¢**
OCEAN SPRAY Cranberry Sauce 17 oz can **15¢**
DEL MONTE Pubpkin No. 2 can **10¢**

Candy Old Fashioned Chocolate Drops 1-Lb. Cello **15¢**

Soup Campbell's Tomato No. 1 Can **9¢**

Bread Julia Lee Wright's Enriched White 1 1/2-Lb. Loaf **11¢**

Fruit Cake Ingredients

Orange Peel Lb. **39¢**
Lemon Peel Lb. **39¢**
Citron Peel Lb. **59¢**
Glaze Cherries Lb. **45¢**
Mixed Fruit Glaze Diced Lb. **35¢**
PINEAPPLE Glaze Slices Lb. **59¢**

SAFEWAY

Extra Fancy, Well Bleached



CELERY
Lb. **14c**
Texas Yams Lb. **4¢**
Apples Extra Fancy Jonathans Lb. **9¢**
Grapefruit Texas Seedless Lb. **3¢**
Oranges Texas Navel Sweet Juicy Lb. **6¢**

Grapes Fancy Red Emperor 2 Lbs. **23¢**
Potatoes No. 1 Red McClure's 10 Lbs. **33¢**
Potatoes No. 1 Russets in Mesh Bag 10 Lbs. **44¢**
Tomatoes Fancy California Lb. **15¢**
Rutabagas Fancy Waxed Lb. **3 1/2¢**
Yellow Onions Lb. **4¢**

Cranberries

Fancy Red Pound **19¢**

Grocery Values

Flour Kitchen Craft Enriched 24-Lb. Bag **98¢**
Flour Gold Medal 12-Lb. Bag **69¢**
Cake Flour Swans-down 2 1/2-Lb. Pkg. **25¢**
Corn Meal Mammy Lou 10-Lb. Bag **39¢**
Cane Sugar 10-Lb. Bag **65¢**
Pinto Beans 10-Lb. Bag **63¢**
Camay Soap 3 Reg. Bars **19¢**

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Ask for Feeding Bulletins

and Mrs. John Scarborough of Dallas.

Mrs. Beach Jones who has been ill with typhus fever, is able to be up some.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilemon and son of Lamesa visited relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Remember, Folks, next Tuesday night, Nov. 24, is our next Defense meeting. Every woman is to bring a pie. Clara Brown has written she will be with us. We are sure to hear an interesting talk, so come on

BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

By Mrs. James Ferguson

Mrs. Hardy Bingham and children, also Mrs. Eldon Pope and children of Corpus Christi, are visiting in the homes of Miss Willard Bristow and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham.

Those from Boyd Chapel Methodist church who attended the an-

nual conference at Sweetwater Sunday were Mrs. C. D. Bingham and Bobbie, Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden.

Hershel Prindal, Student of the North Texas State Teachers College and who is also assistant chemistry teacher there, visited his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prindal last week end.

Mrs. S. A. Godfrey and daughter Mrs. Simmons of Swenson, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prindal Sunday.

A message received by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Young Monday stated that their son, Sgt. Dee, was taken from the seriously ill list and was improving.

Jack, Don and Gene Holden of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report that the Methodist church will have Rev. Grady Adcock again next year as pastor.

Mrs. T. T. Bingham who has been quite ill with typhus fever, is much improved.

Miss Dorothy Gardner, who is in the clerical department in Duncan Field, San Antonio, came up Sunday to spend the week here with her brother, Sgt. Harry Gardner and brother Robert while here. Also Miss Kathryn Gardner who is in the clerical department in Camp Hauze, at Gainesville, came the same day.

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Typical Jones County Farm May Give Courage To Other Citizens

President C. B. Holden and eighteen members of the Avoca 4-H Club with James M. Binion, Extension Agent of Texas A. & M. College, visited the Ben T. Ray farm on Route 3, Stamford, on the afternoon of Nov. 1st for the purpose of judging dairy cattle and for general observations. The visiting group found that Mr. Ray has a well diversified farm.

He farms 316 acres of land and plants only enough cotton to meet AAA quotas. The rest of the land is planted to feed crops and none of the feed has been sold from the farm in years. All of it is fed to live stock and poultry. At the present time Mr. Ray has 17 dairy cows, 40 beef cattle, 250 laying hens and enough hogs for the home supply. Last year he fed 100 head of cattle on his farm.

Mr. Ray said that livestock farming is interesting, maintains soil fertility, gives a better distribution of labor through the year, is more profitable and he much prefers it to cotton and grain farming. Mr. Ray knows that lean crop years will come and as a safeguard he puts his surplus feed in trench silos. He has four silos filled with feed, one of them 180 feet long, that he has accumulated during the past four years.

Terraces were constructed on the farm eight years ago and Mr. Ray pointed out one field where a ditch so deep that farming equipment could not cross it at that time, produced feed at the rate of two tons per acre this year.

Mr. Ray's farm is studded with modern farm buildings and equipment and he finds time for recreation exemplified by two registered five-gated saddle horses. As the group left Mr. Ray pointed out that "feed will not stack itself" and returned to the task. He meant that work is necessary on a profitable and successful farm.

Rev. James E. Harrell Is Re-appointed Pastor

On November 11th the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church met in Sweetwater and remained in session till Sunday afternoon, when appointments were announced.

Rev. James E. Harrell was again assigned the pastorate of the Hamlin church which information will be gladly received not only by his own membership but by a host of friends in all the local churches.

Rev. Harrell reports three outstanding recommendations presented at the Conference by Bishop Ivan Lee Holt. They are as follows:

1. That our total church life for the year center around two points of emphasis in an all-out effort on the part of all existing organizations, officials, and leaders, in our conference, districts and local churches.

a. Personal commitment of life to Christ, seeking to lead our present members to unreserved dedication and to increase our membership by 20 per cent, 10 per cent on profession of faith and 10 per cent otherwise.

b. Christian giving and a sound financial system in every church with a minimum goal of 40 per cent of our members pledged and to tithe for the duration and practicing tithing by February 1, 1943.

2. In order to make available for all of us the message, approach, and methods, used by those who have succeeded best, in the above types of endeavor, we nominate the following committee: R. N. Huckabee, chairman; Kenneth W. Copeland, secretary; D. D. Dennison, R. T. Breedlove, H. B. Hill, J. E. Swepston, Mrs. C. A. Bickley, P. E. Yarbrough and Clark Church.

3. At the district set-up meetings let each district cabinet take such steps as are necessary for the proper organization and prosecution of this campaign.

Bishop Holt said, "This matter is fundamental if we do these things, all other plans of our conference will be realized. We will be the church saving our own, and serving the world in agony. All agencies of our church will be turned to the realization of these objectives."

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Perry Sparks Becomes Postmaster of Hamlin

Saturday, like a flash of lightning out of a clear sky, Postmaster Harold Bonner received papers from Washington making him carrier on Route Two, Hamlin.

At the same time Perry Sparks received notice that beginning Monday morning he would be postmaster for Hamlin. So Sunday afternoon, Harold Bonner checked out as postmaster and checked in as rural route carrier and Monday morning Perry Sparks woke up as Hamlin's P. M.

There are some advantages in being rural mail carrier, and like everything else, there are some drawbacks. It is very much like two fellows trading horses . . . one has something the other does not have and so a trade is made. Bonner will get up later and get in from his deliveries earlier. He will have more time to help his wife grow a garden and mow the lawn. So who blames him?

The Herald will say for Mr. Sparks that he is a young fellow with many good traits and his personality will be one that can say "No" and smile at you so you like it. He has had plenty of business experience to enable him to render excellent service in the post office.

Just what innovations can be made to help Hamlin people enjoy good mail service will likely be determined by postal regulations and labor problems. One thing is appropriate here to say is that here's hoping some kind of arrangements can be made to keep Hamlin's post office open on Saturday afternoons. This is a rural town and rural people as well as "city folks" often need to transact business with the United States on Saturday as well as Monday afternoon. So now it is Postmaster Perry Sparks, and luck to you, Perry.

Life Sketch Of R. B. Hodges, Deceased

The Herald was unable last week to obtain any definite information on the life of R. B. Hodges, who was laid to rest at Blooming Grove, Texas.

R. B. Hodges was born at Blooming Grove on May 3, 1877. He passed away at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital, in Abilene, on Sunday, November 8th, at the age of 65 years, 6 months and 5 days.

R. B. Hodges was united in marriage to Miss Beulah Belle Smith, in 1900, and to this union there are four surviving children, Richard Hodges, Business Manager of the Brown School at Siloam Springs, Arkansas; Mrs. C. R. Williams of Abilene, and Misses Edythe and Ettie Hodges, teachers in the Neinda School. One child died at the age of two years.

Mrs. Hodges passed away on May 23, 1915. Besides the children of his immediate family, there is one surviving brother, J. V. Hodges of Hamlin, and two sisters, Mrs. Lula Watson of Morton, Texas, and Mrs. E. L. Gary of Petersburg, Texas. There are three grand children.

Mr. Hodges came to the Neinda community in 1920, and during the passing years he was known as one of Jones County's best citizens and successful farmers. He had been a member of the Methodist church since the age of 36.

Tom Teague's Father Died In Spur Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague returned Wednesday from Spur where they had been called by the serious illness and death of Mr. Teague's father, V. E. Teague, who had been ill since last Thursday. Funeral services were held in Spur Tuesday. V. E. Teague was 83 years of age and had been a resident of Spur since the beginning of the town.

Mrs. Curtis Martin suffered a serious accident at her home Tuesday just after noon when she slipped on a rug in the bathroom and fell, breaking both bones in her leg. She was carried to the Stamford hospital for treatment.

Thanksgiving-1942

The President and The Governor Proclaim It In Humble Prayer

Once more Our National Thanksgiving Day has rolled around—this year there is no controversy about which Day to be observed . . . this year it finds America in an attitude of humbleness and prayer . . . about us on all sides are evidences of unusual fruitfulness for which everyone should stop and silently give Thanks to Almighty God . . . the main thing that mars genuine happiness is the overhanging clouds of war . . . under which the young manhood of this land stands ready to offer their all for our safety and freedom . . . with these factors tramping heavily on the minds of our leaders, mothers and fathers, then it is nothing more than proper for one's mind to turn towards God to prayerful Thanksgiving.

The President's Proclamation—

"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord." Across the uncertain ways of space and time our hearts echo those words, for the days are with us again when, at the gathering of the harvest, we solemnly express our dependence upon Almighty God.

The final months of this year, now almost spent, find our Republic and the nations joined with it waging a battle on many fronts for the preservation of liberty.

In giving thanks for the greatest harvest in the history of our nation, we who plant and reap can well resolve that in the year to come we will do all in our power to pass the milestone; for by our labors in the fields we can share some part of the sacrifice with our brothers and sons who wear the uniform of the United States.

It is fitting that we recall now the reverent words of George Washington:

"Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection," and that every American in his own way lift his voice to heaven.

I recommend that all of us bear in mind this great Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; he leadeth me beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul; he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Inspired with faith and courage by these words, let us turn again to the work that comforts us in this time of national emergency; in the armed services and the merchant marines; in factories and offices; on farms and in the mines; on highways, railways, and airways; in other places of public service to the nation, and in our homes.

Now, therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, do hereby invite the attention of the people to the joint resolution of Congress approved December 26, 1941, which designates the fourth Thursday in November of each year as Thanksgiving Day; and I request that both Thanksgiving Day, November 26, 1942, and New Year's Day, January 1, 1943, be observed in prayer, publicly and privately.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

(Signed)

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Our Governor's Prayer—

We are thankful, O Lord, for a land of civil and religious liberty in which Christian civilization has made the greatest advancement the world has ever known.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the glorious achievements of our Revolutionary fathers in throwing off the yoke of arbitrary rule and bequeathing unto us a government of laws enacted by the people.

We are thankful, O Lord, for the men and women whom you have given us in this fair land of Texas; those of sound minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands; those whom the lust of office does not kill; those whom the spoils of office will not buy; those who possess opinions and a will; those who have honor, those who will not lie, sun-crowned, who live above the fog in public duty and in private thinking.

We are thankful, O Lord, that citizens of such character will remember "that the perpetuity and prosperity of a republic form of government depend upon the virtue and intelligence of the people."

We are thankful, O Lord, for the opportunities which have been afforded us by this government and under Your protecting care; and especially for the employment of individual enterprise in collective achievement.

COKE R. STEVENSON

New College President



REV. HAROLD G. COOKE

Abilene, Texas—Election of the Rev. Harold G. Cooke of San Angelo as president of McMurry College was announced Wednesday following a special meeting of the college trustees at Sweetwater.

Cooke will fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Frank L. Turner, now of Fort Worth, in the late summer to return to the pulpit as an evangelist.

Oh Rats! Let's Kill 'Em In Hamlin

The Chamber of Commerce in co-operation with the City of Hamlin, have engaged the services of a Federal Wild Life representative to work the business district and warehouses in a rat killing campaign. Because of the highly dangerous poison used in this operation, the residence section of Hamlin will not be included in the territory worked, and since the business and warehouse sections are really the breeding places of rats, the campaign will be effective with the territory designated to be worked.

The campaign will begin the 23rd of November and run through the 28th and the co-operation of all business concerns is earnestly solicited.

Due to the several cases of typhus fever here, Hamlin was selected as the starting point for the county, which will also include Stamford and Anson business districts. County committees will get this service too after the city campaigns are finished.

On Deer "Maneuvers" Down In Hill Country

This week a number of Hamlin men went on "maneuvers" in the Hill Country, noted for deer. Some of these guys have had their call to check "physical" and maybe this deer hunting will help them pass.

In the crowd were W. C. Russell, L. H. McBride, Jack Harden and E. J. Whaley. Ted had already received his call for "physical" and this advanced training will help him to harden up a bit.

T. S. Peterson and family left on Tuesday to make their home at Ropesville where he will engage in farming.

A BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bond are parents of a son, David Douglas, born Friday at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. Mrs. Bond and little son will return home the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Bob Low and sons, Bob Jack and Larry, of Monahans, were here Saturday and Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Low and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Andrus.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Carlton returned Tuesday of last week from Fort Worth where they visited their daughter, Mrs. F. L. Reynolds and family. While in Fort Worth Mr. Carlton went on to Dallas on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watson and baby Donna Joyce came up from Orange on Thursday of last week for a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Christopher. J. W. has been in the Orange Ship Yard building destroyers to whip Hitler with. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown, who visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brown. Clyde is a welder too.

Mrs. M. E. Harden Died Mon. Morning

Mrs. M. E. Harden, mother of Hamlin's pioneer citizens, T. E. Harden, and Mrs. Jim Hudson, passed away at the Stamford Hospital at 12:15 Monday morning.

Mrs. Harden had come to Hamlin from the home of her daughter near Breckenridge, to visit Mrs. Hudson and Mr. Harden, and while here took ill. She was taken to the Stamford Hospital for treatment, and her condition grew serious and death came just after midnight.

Mrs. Harden was a native of Sugar Valley, Gordon County, Georgia. Her maiden name was Mary Etta Gober, born on November 9, 1858, and was 84 years and seven days of age. Her husband preceded her in death on August 25, 1925, at Water Valley, Texas. She is survived by eight sons and five daughters, and of this large family of children every one of them was present for the funeral except one daughter who resides in California. The sons are: T. E. Harden of Hamlin; G. P., Amarillo; J. P., Milrose, N. M.; Herbert, Overton; Luther B., San Angelo and Lucia D. of Bishop, Texas (twins); M. A. Harden of Water Valley and Chester H. of Summerville, Texas.

The daughters are Mrs. Clara Gentry and Mrs. Ora Lauderdale (who live south of Breckenridge, with whom Mrs. Harden spent most of her time after her husband's death) Mrs. Electra Scrivener, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Sallie Hornbeck of Yreka, Calif., and Mrs. Jim Hudson of Hamlin. All were able to attend the funeral except Mrs. Hornbeck.

There are 27 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church, Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. James E. Harrell. Bountiful flowers were in evidence from loved ones and friends.

One of the rarest things to be observed at this funeral was that the pallbearers were the eight sons.

Mrs. Harden was a long time member of the Methodist church and as her years advanced she laid plans for her going. One request was that she be laid to rest in the Hamlin Cemetery. The Barrow Company had charge of interment.

Pied Pipers Defeat Lions At Albany

Last Friday night the Pipers went to Albany for a conference game.

Recovering from the mauling at the hands of the Seymour bunch, the Pipers dished out a 19 to 0 defeat to the Albany Lions.

Tonight (Friday) the Pipers will play host to the Tigers from Anson. This will be the last game of the season for Hamlin High School.

NAZARENE CHURCH

The revival is getting off to a good start. Our workers have been received wholeheartedly by the entire community. The high quality of music rendered by Mrs. Cope is especially appreciated by all. Then the type of preaching done by Rev. J. A. Cope is being accepted and appreciated by the church and friends. We urge the entire community to co-operate with us as wholeheartedly as possible for a revival of "Old Time Religion."

Our Sunday School opens at 9:45. Worship hour at 11 A. M.

N. Y. P. S. hour at 7:30.

Evangelistic Service at 8:00 P. M.

Come worship with us.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

Mrs. O. L. Taulman and son Otis of Monahans, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Green.

Mrs. J. A. Wilhite and little daughter Kay of Harlingen are here for a ten days visit with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Magee.

Mrs. R. M. Jones returned from San Diego, Calif., last week from a ten days visit with her two sons, Doyle and Rex Jones, who work at Consolidated Aircraft Corp. She reports a very nice trip and likes California, except she says the train service isn't so good between here and there!

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It Is Too Bad—

It is just too bad that our Congress can't find something more important to "chaw the rag" about than the poll tax subject. It appears that every possible controversial thing they can think of is brought up while the more essential matters are left off or bungled.

The idea of abolishing the poll, a tax prerequisite to voting, is unthinkable by most southern citizens. There is no point here in setting out facts to uphold the poll tax. It is something we southern people think necessary and now it is silly blab in this war time, to quarrel over it in congress. We do not blame the southern senators for doing everything possible to stop its passage. They are justifiable, and it was not their choice that this subject was brought up. However, it must be borne in mind that occasionally a politician gets into the senate from Texas or Florida or some state down here and nothing better is expected from him than to want to open the gates of the ballot to every kinky-headed, ignoramus—to play like he is for "poor down-trodden".

A primary election and a regular election are two different items. There has never been anything to prevent a person from voting in the South in a federal election when he had a poll tax. Pay buddy and vote. Don't pay and don't vote.

A primary election is a private matter. If one does not want to be in such and such a "private organization" it is his business and if he is not in the "party" then do not expect to participate in its affairs. For example a bunch of folks could set up a "Bald-Head Primary" and all who do not have a bald head, can't belong and can't vote. You just could not "sit down to their table". Negroes could have their own primary and no white man would be allowed to participate. It is all very simple, but not of much value to win this war.

To win the war we are in, so much depends upon Congress, and when congress spends so much time quibbling over some silly little item, just to show up some individual, we may expect the people to be displeased.

Predicting—

We predict that Congress will repeal or suspend the 40 hour a week labor law—at least for the duration. It should be a clean cut repeal. Forty-eight hours for a man to work each week allows 8 hours per day for play—and who should "play"? and then who needs more than 8 hours per night in bed? That gets the 24 hours per day—you're telling us.

Another prediction is that some good day, somebody is going to investigate just why this war work stuff has cost so all-fired much.

The other day a Hamlin fellow told the Herald he was getting \$400 per month as a ship welder. His job is a vital one, but it seems \$400 for that man is too much when a brother is made to serve in the army at \$50.00, plus a chance to get his head blown off. It is too late now to manage man power. It could have been done a year ago.

The Pinch o' war

THE PINCH OF WAR—Hand Set

This week end sets the stage in the United States for the people to feel the "Pinch of War."

The first real pinch comes in our transportation system.

In 1914-18 America was chiefly powered by horses and mules, dragging things mostly through mud or over rough roads on iron wheels.

The power today, 1942, is gasoline. The roads are dry and smooth. The wheels are on rubber—but not for long.

With millions of barrels of gasoline in storage and producing in Texas—today Texas people—and in all states, people are signing up for about 4 gallons of gas per week, per car, and it is going to be pretty hard to get more than that much.

This all means, almost transportation stagnation. It is going to pinch and pinch to hurt. Leather will be used till shoes are rationed.

The pinch that makes most Americans furious is "confusion" It is not needed privations that the people mind. It is hearing one thing one day and reading something different the next.

It is inconceivable that gasoline will be denied for usages not in automobiles. The rationing certainly is to stretch out the rubber life of tires. The only problem, it seems would be whether one who needs gasoline for something else, might turn it into an auto tank. There are hundreds of needs for gasoline other than cars, and here's guessing there is going to be a lot of good excuses grumbling about gas. Four or five gallons will soon burn up in essential everyday needs. Somebody is going to start walking and observe some other guy whizzing by burning gas that he thinks should be allowed to him and not so much to the other fellow. So the pinch will pinch.

There will be very few Americans who will object to any kind of pinching because of war if they have some assurances that what they must sacrifice is essential or is being used by the boys at the front. The main point is to be patient and follow and keep on doing in the most patriotic manner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robbins returned Wednesday from a visit with their sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Johnson at Dayton, Texas. They report that Mr. Johnson has been seriously ill from an operation on Thursday of last week. The Johnsons formerly resided in Hamlin for a number of years, and their many friends here will be glad to know Mr. Johnson is recovering satisfactorily.

Mrs. J. C. Culbertson has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Fraser and husband in Brownsville. Mrs. Fraser accompanied her home.

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Lights of New York

by L. L. STEVENSON

Hats Off: The pulling of the master switch of the Hotel Paris during a recent night air raid plunged the exposed portion of the building into total darkness. The lobby soon became thronged with guests who poured in from the adjacent bar. Despite lack of knowledge as to the cause of the blackout, the mood of the crowd was gay—carefree Americans ready to take anything in their stride. The door leading to the stairway opened and an old man, clad in pajamas and with a blanket draped about him, walked into the lobby. The crowd giggled as he went up to John Garrison, the manager, and handed him three letters, saying loudly enough for all to hear: "I walked down 12 flights. Didn't know if I'd ever get to mail them. Please drop them into the box outside for me. You see, they are for my three sons in the marines."

Peril: Gwen Dew, Detroit newspaper woman, as perhaps you have read, was held prisoner more than six months by the Japs in Hong Kong. She went through the siege of Hong Kong, some of the fighting actually taking place in her hotel room. She's heard machine gun bullets snap past her head and pieces of shrapnel have fallen all around her. Yet she escaped unharmed, except by the food furnished by the Nipponese. Well, the other afternoon she was walking along Madison avenue when she heard a crash. Her Hong Kong training caused her automatically to duck into a convenient doorway and crouch there. Possibly her subconscious shelter seeking saved her life. A plate glass window on the second floor had been broken and heavy fragments rained down over and around her. Though her coat and dress were cut in several places, she was unhurt.

Exchange: At the Open House for Officers at the Hotel Delmonico, a submarine commander started to dance with an attractive hostess only to find himself halted by his rubber-soled shoes. He disappeared and in no time at all, appeared suitably equipped. It seems that he had found a young ensign outside and issued an order that resulted in a shoe swap. Through the evening, the commander and the ensign alternated in dancing, a shoe shift occurring each time. In accordance with regulations, the dance ended at 1 a. m. The sub commander, enjoying his one night of liberty after four nights on duty, didn't want to call it an evening so the hostess took him to LaRue. There they did more dancing—the commander in the ensign's shoes. Five evenings later, the hostess again met the commander. And he was still wearing the ensign's shoes.

War: Speaking of shoes I am wondering what those New York kids who in the past spent pleasant fall hours playing hockey on the sidewalks, are doing now for pucks. Formerly, finding a puck was a simple matter—a kid merely went to a shoe repairing establishment where he was known and obtained an old rubber heel. But with rubber what it is today, worn rubber heels don't go into games but into the nation's wartime scrap pile. Maybe lads who like sidewalk hockey have given up the game for the duration. At any rate, I haven't seen any games yet and that's why I don't know whether or not some bright youngster has evolved a synthetic puck.

Long Lists: Each year, under the law, New York banks must advertise accounts that have been inactive for a certain term of years. This year as usual the New York city lists were long, a great many persons having deposited money in years past and apparently forgotten all about it. So far as I am concerned, those lists are a mighty waste of valuable time. I know all too well that no relative of mine ever deposited a dime in a New York bank and then forgot about it. But I read all the names just the same—and feel a little disappointed when I fail to find one that is familiar.

ROUND TOP NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen entertained in their home last Wednesday evening, friends and relatives, honoring Roy Cooper, who left Friday for induction into the army. A buffet supper was served to the following: Miss Louise Berry of McCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, Red Bluff; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith and Jackie Reed, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cooper, Roy and Paul Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Shelley, Raye and Joan Shelley; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carlton, John Wallace and Milbra Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Scott and Terry Ronald, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates and Letrice Belle, Irvin Fawcett, Helen Smith of Rotan, Claudie Allen of Colorado, Don J. and Annetta Allen. Several games were played, and the evening was enjoyed by all who attended.

Mrs. Dave Scott attended a birthday dinner honoring Helen Parker at Hamlin Sunday.

Roy Cooper is in the station hospital at Camp Barkeley receiving treatment for stomach ulcers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jean are the happy parents of a new daughter, Nina Jo, born at the Callan Hospital last week.

Pvt. Glenn Gabel spent Sunday with his wife and parents. Pvt. Gabel is stationed at Lubbock.

The following enjoyed a buffet luncheon and the entire day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen, of Red Bluff, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, Don Jr. and Annetta; Mr. and Mrs. John Shelley, and Raye Shelley; Helen Smith, Claudie Allen, Jackie Reed, Nelson Bates, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates and Letrice; Mrs. Bill Cooper and Christine; Bill Saunders, Waymon Holmes, Clyde Horn and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

This community welcomes the new pastor and family from Abilene, Rev. and Mrs. Campbell. We were sorry to lose Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Crawford but perhaps the Campbell family can make up for the loss.

Pvt. Elmer T. Cooper, who has been stationed at Camp Stoneman, Calif., has recently been transferred to Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas.

Pvt. James B. Shelley, who was also stationed in Calif., has been transferred to Fort George G. Meade, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Barto Jameson, Eitel and Clifford Jameson, and Annie Laura Bowdry spent a part of last week with Pvt. Welton Jameson, who is stationed at Mission, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cooper and Miss Juanita Mannz, of Memphis, Tennessee, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cooper last week end.

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Writes New Book



As funny as Irvin Cobb's "Speaking of Operations" or Ellis Parker Butler's "Pigs Is Pigs"—that's what reviewers are saying about Boyce House's new book, "How I Took Hollywood by Storm," a Southwest- ern best seller which is based on his observations while helping make the big moving picture, "Boon Town."

House, of Fort Worth, is known to hundreds of thousands through his Sunday radio programs and his column "I Give You Texas." "How I Took Hollywood by Storm" is pocket size, sturdily bound, sells for half a dollar, illustrated, and is just the thing for a Christmas gift for young or old and it would give a lot of chuckles to a Texas soldier off in camp somewhere, too.

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Lieutenant Robert H. Johnson, M. D., came up from the maneuver fields in Louisiana the past week end for a short stay at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Johnson. Dr. Johnson returns to the Ft. Sam Houston post till further orders.

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Pvt. Theo (Colonel) Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans, came in on a 15 days furlough from Camp Cook, Calif. recently. He is in the 22nd Engineers. He has a brother, S. E. (Cowboy) Evans, a Sgt. in the 307th Fighter Group in England.

About Soldiers--Sailors

(NOTE)—On various occasions home folks try to tell what their soldier boy said here and there over the world, and expect the Herald to carry the story. This makes it hard on the paper. Telling something second or third "hatch" may not be interesting. If permissible, give the editor a peep at the soldier's letter. We keep all secrets.

— S & S —

So many of the Hamlin community boys have joined the ground forces of the Air Corps at Lubbock, and get to come home so easily that it is hard for the Herald to keep up with them . . . whether they are coming or going. So if we skip some of them this is the reason why.

— S & S —

Athens, Ga.—Naval Aviation Cadet Billy Monroe McGough, Hamlin, Texas, has completed his course at the U. S. Navy Pre-Flight School and has been ordered to the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Dallas, for primary flight training.

McGough, who stood in the top 20 per cent of his large class, is the son of C. B. McGough. He is a former student of Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Since entering the Navy Pre-Flight School here three months ago, McGough has had ground school work in military and academic subjects, and has undergone a rigorous physical conditioning program which is designed to make Uncle Sam's Naval aviators the fittest and best trained in the world.

At his new base he will have more ground school instruction and begin flying. From there he will move on to three months of intermediate and advanced flying, and, if successful, will be graduated from the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Florida, or Corpus Christi, Texas, and win his commission and Navy wings.

After graduation comes Operational Training, with carrier-based planes or multi-engined bombers, the final lap of a 12-months training period. Completing this, McGough will be a full-fledged fighter Pilot—ready to join the fleet.—From U. S. Navy Pre-flight School.

(Billy came home last Friday for a short visit with his parents. He reports a lot of hard tough training so far.

— S & S —

Miss Anna Sue Lasseter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasseter, is another Hamlin girl in the WAAC organization. Miss Lasseter is now at 2nd Rec. Co., Ft. Des Moines, Iowa. She has been in since the middle of October, and likes it fine so far. This makes two from this family in the service. Norman Lasseter is in the Radio Air Service—the last time heard from, he was at Eagle Pass, Texas.

— S & S —

Cadet J. L. Miles has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miles of Hamlin this week. J. L. is in Sheppard Field and has had about 200 hours of flying. He will soon be ready to let the Huns have it and here's betting another hole in a doughnut that he's got the stuff, what it takes.

— S & S —

Ensign Richard Feagan and his wife arrived in Hamlin from his training in Diesel School at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., last Saturday. Richard is assigned to the Third Naval Area with New York as base headquarters, and will take up his duties after returning this week end.

— S & S —

Staff Sergeant Harry Gardner Jr. of Co. B, 159th Inf., San Luis Obispo, Calif., arrived by plane last Friday accompanied by his brother, Robert, who is in the Consolidated Aircraft. Harry has been in 20 months. The last three months he spent in the "desert", almost like Africa. He leaves Sunday.

— S & S —

Here's another girl from this community to go into the WAAC organization—Miss Hester Fields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fields near Neinda. Miss Hester has been a beautician for several years but last week she took the oath for the WAAC's and left this Thursday for San Antonio where she joins others for Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.

— S & S —

Lieutenant Warren Nobles, who has been instructor in Kelley Field at San Antonio, since his graduation, has been transferred to the Majors Army Air Field at Greenville, Texas as an instructor. He is a fine young fellow and he took his choice of several fields in his transfer. Warren is down there flying over the fields and roads where his grandfather, the late W. D. Eakin formerly lived . . . and that's not all, it is near the old home of Ye Editor, too.

Mrs. Ella Armstrong has four sons in the armed forces. Edward and James, who were in the cavalry Division at Fort Bliss, Texas, have been transferred to the Tank Division at Camp Hood, Texas. John and Jake are in the army flying school at Lubbock. These four sons of Mrs. Armstrong's volunteered.

Fynus, another son of Mrs. Armstrong, is employed in the mechanical division of the army flying school at Stamford. Fynus has been deferred from the army to do this defense work.

— S & S —

Lt. and Mrs. Robert W. Lewis Jr. came to the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maberry near McCaulley Tuesday from Ft. Belvoir, Va., where Mr. Lewis received his commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the Engineer Corps on Nov. 11th. He will report Monday to Camp Clayburne, La. Mrs. Lewis was Fern Maberry before her marriage.

— S & S —

Sailorboy Carl Address, Aviation Radioman, 2-C, came in Tuesday from the Naval Air Station at Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, to spend a mere three or four days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Address. This was the first time Carl has had a chance to come home in 2 years and 7 months. He has been places since he left Hamlin. About one year ago he was stationed in New Foundland and then was sent to Norfolk, Va., to study in the Bomber school, and one month after Pearl Harbor he was sent to Hawaii. He's been going places in the Pacific and he puts his finger tips to his lips and makes a sound like hissing steam when one asks him about certain bombing raids. Well, he's going back and likes the Navy so well he says when he retires it will likely be after the 20 years hitch.

— S & S —

Staff Sgt. G. W. Hayes "bombed" Hamlin last Friday morning about 10:30 when he came over with his squadron on their way from Salinas, Kansas to El Paso and Albuquerque. It was a practice bombing flight and when he arrived over his home town he turned and dived several times. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hayes, did not know who the "flying guy" was till he wrote them later. G. W. is gunner or a radio man. He lost his brother, J. D., in the Bataan battle, killed or captured. Another brother, Bert is in the army, stationed at El Paso.

— S & S —

James Owen, one if Hamlin's first soldier boys, has been spending this week with relatives and old friends in Hamlin. James is in the 36th Division at Camp Edwards, Mass. James was born and educated in Hamlin but his parents now reside in or near Albuquerque, N. M.

— S & S —

Elvis Wallace, Sailorboy, Electrician Mate 3-C, arrived on Nov. 12 from Yorktown, Va., to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wallace at Plesterco. He has been transferred from fleet service to Mine Warfare School at Yorktown. Elvis has been in one year and ten months. He has seen plenty of excitement at Midway and in the Alaskan waters.

— S & S —

Glider Pilot, Sgt. Lawrence King is at home from the Glider Replacement Center at Albuquerque, N. M., for about ten days. King will likely get a commission in the glider service in a few weeks. This will be when he has handled a 15 placer.

— S & S —

Otto Berlin was here the past week end visiting old friends and saying good-bye before going into the army. Otto was inducted on Nov. 11 and was here on a ten days furlough. He calls Hamlin home for he still has a room at the Tate May residence and most of his clothes are there.

— S & S —

A telegram has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Tate May from their son James Tate at Baylor University, that he had been sworn in the Army Enlisted Reserve. This may mean he will be called at the end of the school term or at any time before. James Tate was 19 years old on July 9th.

— S & S —

Claude Allen returned Tuesday to Camp Carson, Colorado, after a week of furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Allen. He is in the Pack Artillery of the 98th F. A. Claude enjoys hearing from the other fellows through the Herald. He says he will go anywhere his mule is sent, and the mule can go most any where. And he is anxious to get going.

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Hamlin Nat'l. Honor Society Meets

The National Honor Society, Hamlin Chapter, met in the home of Charlotte Lewis for the 2nd meeting of the year Nov. 6th. Phala Davis, president, presided. Plans for new members and their initiation were the main topics of consideration, though Christmas festivities were discussed.

The club voted to ask Mrs. C. E. Ball to give before the student body, "The Murder of Lidice", a recent narrative poem by Edna St. Vincent Malay.

After the business meeting a plate consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, cakes and tea were served by the hostess and her mother.

BAPTIST CHURCH

"Practical Truths Related to The Second Coming." This is the subject for discussion Sunday morning. It will not be a barrage of speculative ideas, but a scriptural message on the way of life that should result from belief in the coming of our Lord at the end of this age. We urge you to be present. Remember, Sunday School at 10:00 A. M. and morning worship at 11:00.

H. E. East, Pastor
Charles Tarrance, Associate

Card of Thanks

We are truly grateful for the many remembrances and sympathies shown during the illness and at the time of the going of our dear father. Every token of love for our loved one shall always be remembered by us.

His Children:
Richard Hodges
Edythe Hodges
Ettie Hodges
Mrs. C. R. Williams

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jenkins are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Louise to Pfc. Henry Wilgus. The ceremony took place Saturday, Nov. 14, 1942, in the home of Rev. and Mrs. McBride at Anson with the Rev. McBride reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Wilgus is a graduate of the Hamlin High school in the class of 1940.

Pfc. Wilgus' home is Greenland, Colorado. He is stationed at Camp Barkeley at the present time.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Jenkins.

The bride will make her home with her parents until further plans.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.
Bible Study at 7:00 P. M.
Worship Hour at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible Study at 8:00 P. M.

Your presence is requested. Friends, why don't you realize that you need the Church and the Church needs you?

Thankful

The neighbors and friends of our father, Guy Poe and our grandmother, Mrs. D. M. Poe, have been so kind to them during their illness, we desire to express our deepest appreciation for everything done for them. They seem to be about well and they join us in thanks to our friends and neighbors.

MRS. AND MRS. NOEL WEAVER

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shipp and daughter visited relatives in Jones County last week end. The Shipp's now live at Lubbock.

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 P. M.
Evening Service, 7:30.

The W. S. C. S. is to be postponed Monday afternoon for the District Harvest Day Meeting in Abilene.

Church Fellowship and Thanksgiving Program next Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Bring a dish and enjoy the fellowship with Thanksgiving.

Sunday morning the sermon message will deal with "Life's Choices". Appropriate special music is to be arranged.

At the evening service Mrs. Ball will give some points from the little booklet "I Confess My Faith", by Mei-ling Soong Chaing (Mme. Chang Kai-Shek); and much and interesting emphasis will be placed on "Missions".

Sunday is "Missionary Sunday". A missionary program will be presented at 10:45 A. M. The church must fail not the cry of distress in the dark hours, and by the Grace of God she shall not.

The pastor is happy to be back for the 3rd year of service and trusts that it shall be the best of the three. Come to church Sunday and see what a difference it will make throughout the year.

We welcome visitors.

Card of Thanks

We are deeply grateful for the many kind acts and expressions of sympathy shown our dear father by the people of Plasterco, in our sorrowful hours. To every one, everywhere who so lovingly remembered us, we feel sincerely grateful. May God bless each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott

And Family

Mr. and Mrs. Ervy Dominey

And Family

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dominey

And Family

(H. Dominey, the father of the above members died at Sagerton, and was buried last Saturday near that place.)

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Make A "Kit-Bag" Maybe For Your Own Big Boy

A soldier's kit-bag prepared by the Jones County Red Cross Chapter reached 4,000 miles into the North Pacific to gladden the heart of a bomb squadron staff sergeant whose home is in Munday, Texas, forty miles from the kit's point of origin, and he wanted his mother to know of the incident.

His letter of appreciation, passed by the censor, and mailed by clipper, is Jones County's best plea for pledges and donations to support its project of fifty kit-bags monthly, and follows:

"It would be hard for me to explain the surprise and pleasure I felt when I received the Red Cross packet prepared by your chapter. You see, my home is in Munday, Texas. For me to be a way over here in Hawaii and receive this very useful gift from people whom I have probably met sometime during my lifetime should be good evidence of the great work of our American Red Cross.

"I have many very good friends in Jones county and in the city of Stamford. It seems that the gift brought me closer to home than I have been since the beginning of the war.

"I am the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Henderson of Munday, Texas. Probably some of your members know them. How could America lose this war with such shown evidence of your work and that of many other war relief organizations?

"I think my mother would appreciate hearing of this little incident. If anyone would write her and tell her about it, it would be a great favor to me. Thanks again—I'll always remember. Sincerely, Jim."

Mrs. L. M. York, Stamford, production chairman, is writing Mrs. Ruth Henderson of Munday. The kit is thought to be one in the shipment of August 21 to St. Louis headquarters.

One hundred bags are to be sent from Stamford this week, and a second 100 before Christmas. The chapter quota is fifty bags monthly, made in the sewing room and filled with stated items purchased by individual or organization contributions of one dollar. Names of donors and greetings from Jones county is the most recent contribution has been the most recent contributor with an eight dollar donation.

(Don't you wish every boy who gets a kit'bag would let the giver know about it?)

Place your orders for Sales Books at the Herald Office.

Be Quick To Treat Bronchitis

Chronic bronchitis may develop if your cough, chest cold, or acute bronchitis is not treated and you cannot afford to take a chance with any medicine less potent than Creomulsion which goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes.

Creomulsion blends beechwood creosote by special process with other time tested medicines for coughs. It contains no narcotics. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough, permitting rest and sleep, or you are to have your money back. (Adv.)

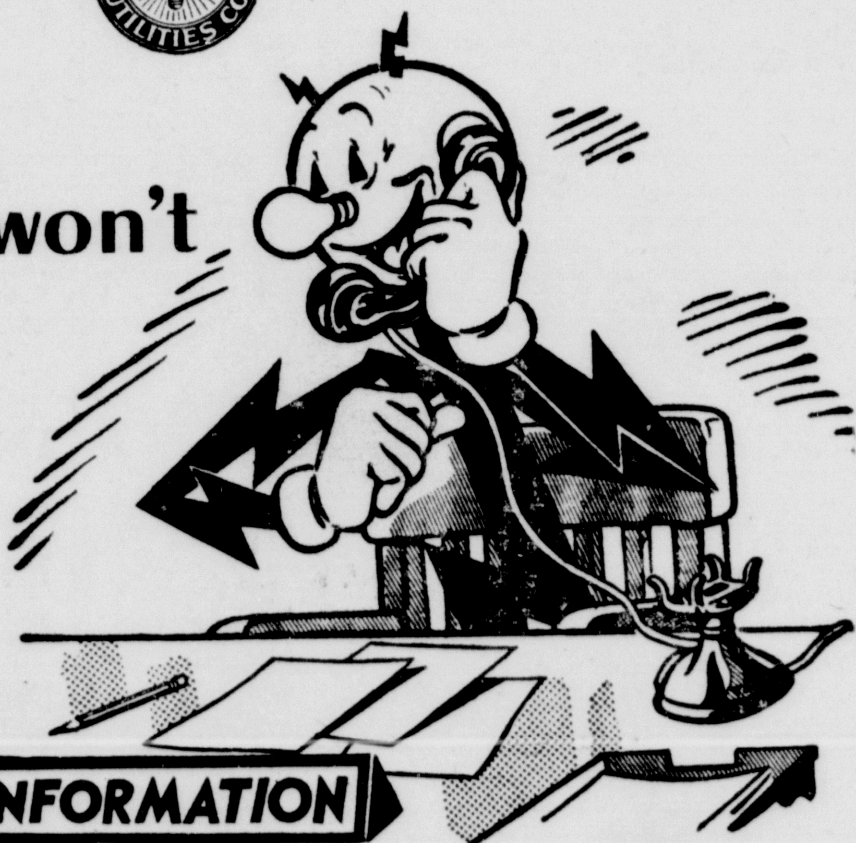
Joe A. Simpson and daughters, Faith and Carol Jo spent Sunday in Georgetown visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lott Shell, Sr.

Mrs. T. H. Price has gone to Dallas where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Forrest Holliday.

Miss Carrie Johnson who is teaching in Wichita Falls, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson.

Christmas Cards at the Herald Office—5 cents to 20 cents each.

"Lady, we won't let you go back to this!"



INFORMATION



You: No? Well, I understand that the factories which used to make washing machines now have turned to war work—

Reddy: True!

You: ...and so what are we going to do when our present machine wears out?

Reddy: That's just the point! We're going to help keep 'em in good working condition—

You: But new parts are hard to get, too!

Reddy: Yes. That makes it doubly important that we take good care of the things we have.

You: But suppose my machine breaks down?

Reddy: Well, Lady, the point is, make repairs before it breaks down! Check up on your washing machine—and all other appliances—now before some essential part gives way. Call your electric fix-it man. Let him go over your appliances carefully. Then he should make repairs that will prevent breakdowns.

You: Thank you, Reddy. But suppose I can't find a repair man—many of them are in the Army, you know.

Reddy: In that case call the West Texas Utilities. Our service department has arranged to help out in emergencies!



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The starting backfield of the unbeaten and untied Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys, from Abilene, boasts three sophomores and a freshman fullback, powerful Camp Wilson, right, of El Paso. The sophomores, left to right, Alvin Johnson, Hamlin, quarterback of the H-SU T formations; J. C. (Bullet) Cook, Baird, right halfback, and Rudolph (Little Doc) Mobley, Paducah mite who leads the nation's ground gainers. This quartet will start against the Texas Tech Red Raiders in the annual Cowboy-Tech game at Lubbock Saturday, with the Border Conference title at stake.

POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

— BY GEO. DARDEN —

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pickron and Mrs. C. P. Yates attended the Methodist conference at Sweetwater over the week end.

Maedean Maberry of Borger, Texas, spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Maberry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry and children visited over the week end with relatives in Hermleigh.

Mrs. A. A. Callaway has accepted a job as teacher in the Escoto school and was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodnett of Neinda visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miers last Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Stephenson who has made her home with her son, Roland in Tucumcari, N. M., for the past two months, has returned to her home in McCaulley.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson of Rotan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Rector last Sunday.

La Verne Maberry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Maberry, who is employed in Abilene, was home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hennington and children of Hobbs, spent the week end in the home of Albert and Miss Ruby Hennington.

Cotton picking in this vicinity has slowed down to a snail's pace and the two McCaulley gins will begin setting days next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens and children spent the week end in Abilene with relatives.

Mr. Ed Mason has returned from a trip to Dallas and other East Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Parker have returned from Dallas where they spent ten days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boyd and son Holman spent the week end in Mineral Wells with their son Joe who is stationed at Camp Wolters. Miss Velma Lou, a daughter, also met them there. She is in school at John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

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From the newspaper report about eight Senators who failed to stay on the job in Washington, have made headlines by warrants being issued for their arrest. It might be a wise thing if these distinguished gentlemen were arrested every day if and when such arrests would do any good and would keep them on the job. Perhaps the general election which sent so many Republicans to fill the seats of so many Democrats was caused by the people being so stirred up over the way some of our representatives have conducted them selves in office.

"Winning the war" should be the slogan of all members of both the houses, but it seems as if politics is

in the hearts of some members of Congress to such an extent that this slogan of Win the War First is only a side issue.

Our junior senator, "Pappy" is all hot and bothered about the 18 and 19 year old boys staying in the training camps for a year before seeing combat duty. He also wants to do away with the poll tax, which would give every nigger, wap and bum the right to vote in Texas. This remark about poll tax: Any person who does not have enough interest in our government to pay a measly \$1.75 for a poll tax receipt, in our opinion, should not be permitted to vote. When we do away with the poll tax in Texas, then we might as well get ready to send to Washington the men who can tell the biggest yarn or put on the biggest show for that's the kind that will get the vote in case the polls are thrown open to everybody and their dogs. We are aware of the fact that many states in the Union do not require a poll tax, and too, we are aware of the fact that many states have sent isolationists to Washington who have hampered the war effort to such an extent that many a boy has given his life already, all because some of those representatives blocked every move and every bill to fortify the Pacific outposts and we need people for voters who are interested enough in their government to pay the poll tax, and when you look about you you will likely find that the folks who holler about the poll tax never contributed much to the community in which they live.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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Spearl Ellison of Albuquerque, N. M., was here the past week end to visit his mother, Mrs. J. W. Ellison. He is manager of the Hilton Hotel in that city.

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FOR SALE

Farmers Co-op. stock certificates for sale or will trade for livestock. If interested write or see
CLAUDE JENKINS
Anson, Texas, Route 3 (2-2P)

WANT TO BUY AND RENT

Would like to buy farm equipment and some cows, etc., but must get tractor. Will rent farm also. See or address

C. O. MITCHELL
Anson, Texas. (3P)

WORK HORSES

Have a pair of young work horses, weights about 1100 and 1250 lbs for sale. Both for \$150.00. Worth \$200.00. See or address
O. T. HENNINGTON (3P)

FOR SALE

Three milch cows with young calves.
B. B. COLWELL (3P)

FOR SALE

1939 Mercury sedan, practically new tires. Motor just been reconditioned. Radio and heater. Runs like new.
E. C. FEAGAN

TRUCK AND PICK-UP

Have a 1936 V-8 truck and a '35 Dodge Pick-up to trade for stock or "what have you". See them at my store near Swedonia.

G. D. ANDES (3P)

NEINDA NEWS

Miss Hester Fields who has been working in a beauty shop in San Angelo, the past four years, was at home last week on her way to Des Moines, Iowa, to enter the WAAC. Mrs. Willie Renfro of Tulsa, Oklahoma, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hodges.

Mrs. Hilon Fields spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock visiting her husband.

Maxine Poe, who is attending Texas Tech at Lubbock, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Poe.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McLendon and son Larry, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Andress of Carpenters Gap.

Those taking dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregory were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Galloday of Merkel an aunt and uncle; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benningfield, sister of Mr. Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregory.

Jeff Thomas Jones left Monday, Nov. 16 for the army. He will go to Fort Bliss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard and daughters Billie, Bettie and Joy, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown at Anson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Wilemon and daughter Donna of Fort Worth were here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Castleberry will celebrate their 32nd Wedding Anniversary Friday, Nov. 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scarborough of Dallas visited relatives here over the week end.

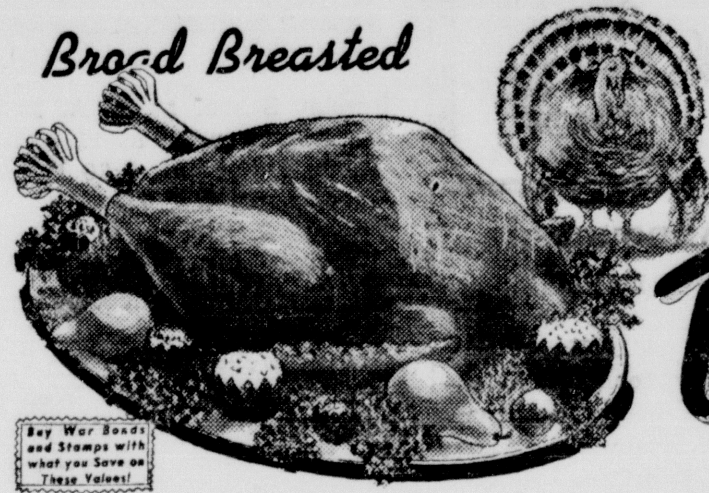
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin of Plasterco ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregory Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arice Jones of Austin were here Sunday visiting Mrs. M. S. Jones.

Mrs. Park Wheat of Dallas visited relatives over the week end.

Those taking dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough, were Mr. and Mrs. Melville Jarnagan and children of Roby and Mr.

Broad Breasted



DINNER KING

Turkeys

CHICKEN
HENS

Dressed & Drawn

lb 35c

Steaks Sirloin Lb. 37¢

Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. 35¢

Oysters Fresh Extra Fancy Lb. 49¢

GROUND
BEEF
Fresh Lean
Lb. 25¢

Pork Liver Sliced or Piece Lb. 25¢

Wieners Iowa First Grade Lb. 35¢

Liver Loaf Fresh Sliced Lb. 33¢

Baked Loaves Ass'd. Kind Lb. 29¢

Salami or Cervelat Sausage Lb. 29¢

Sausage Smoked Rings Lb. 27¢

Perch Fillets Lb. 32¢

Fall Salmon Lb. 33¢

Grocery Values

Juice Town House Grapefruit No. 2 Can 10¢

Juice Sunny Dawn Tomato 23-oz. Can 12¢

Cherries Pitted Red Sour 2 No. 2 Cans 35¢

Baby Food Heinz Strained Reg. Can 7¢

Cherub Milk 3 Tall Cans 27¢

Spinach Emerald Bay No. 2 Can 16¢

Pickles Exquisite Sweet 12-Oz. Jar 22¢

Pi-do For Fickler Pie Crust 8-Oz. Pkg. 10¢

Margarine Sunny Bank Lb. 17¢

BUSY BAKERS Crackers 1 lb box 15¢

GARDENSIDE Peas 2 No. 2 cans 27¢

NONE SUCH Mince Meat 28 oz glass 35¢

OCEAN SPRAY Cranberry Sauce 17 oz can 15¢

DEL MONTE Pubpkin No. 2 can 10¢

Candy Old Fashioned Chocolate Drops 1-Lb. Cello 15¢

Soup Campbell's Tomato No 1 Can 9¢

Bread Julia Lee Wright's Enriched White 1 1/2-Lb. Loaf 11¢

Orange Peel Lb. 39¢

Lemon Peel Lb. 39¢

Citron Peel Lb. 59¢

Glaze Cherries Lb. 45¢

Mixed Fruit Glaze Diced Lb. 35¢

PINEAPPLE Glaze Slices Lb. 59¢

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Mrs. Beach Jones who has been ill with typhus fever, is able to be up some.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilemon and son of Lamesa visited relatives Saturday and Sunday.

Remember, Folks, next Tuesday night, Nov. 24, is our next Defense meeting. Every woman is to bring a pie. Clara Brown has written she will be with us. We are sure to hear an interesting talk, so come on

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BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

By Mrs. James Ferguson

Mrs. Hardy Bingham and children, also Mrs. Eldon Pope and children of Corpus Christi, are visiting in the homes of Miss Willard Bristow and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham.

Those from Boyd Chapel Methodist church who attended the annual conference at Sweetwater Sunday were Mrs. C. D. Bingham and Bobbie, Mrs. E. K. Whittenburg and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden.

Hershel Prindal, Student of the North Texas State Teachers College and who is also assistant chemistry teacher there, visited his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prindal last week end.

Mrs. S. A. Godfrey and daughter Mrs. Simmons of Swenson, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prindal Sunday.

A message received by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Young Monday stated that their son, Sgt. Dee, was taken from the seriously ill list and was improving.

Jack, Don and Gene Holden of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report that the Methodist church will have Rev. Grady Adcock again next year as pastor.

Mrs. T. T. Bingham who has been quite ill with typhus fever, is much improved.

Miss Dorothy Gardner, who is in the clerical department in Duncan Field, San Antonio, came up Sunday to spend the week here with her brother, Sgt. Harry Gardner and brother Robert while here. Also Miss Kathryn Gardner who is in the clerical department in Camp Hauze, at Gainesville, came the same day.

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